

## **PATENT APPLICATION**

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:		)	
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MASASHI KURIHARA		)	
		: Group	Art Unit: 2622
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## **RULE 312 AMENDMENT**

Sir:

Applicant is in receipt of the Notice of Allowance and Fee(s) Due form mailed January 10, 2005, in the above-identified application. The Issue Fee is being paid concurrently herewith. Applicant requests that the application be amended as set forth below.